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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Art Unit: 2818

Agarwal et al.

Application No. 09/590,795

Filed: June 8, 2000

For: METHODS FOR FORMING AND  
INTEGRATED CIRCUIT STRUCTURES  
CONTAINING RUTHENIUM AND TUNGSTEN  
CONTAINING LAYERS

Examiner: David Vu

Date: January 6, 2003

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| Indep. Claims                                  | 14                     | 24**                       | = 0              | \$84.00  | \$ 0.00 |
| Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid) |                        |                            |                  | \$280.00 |         |
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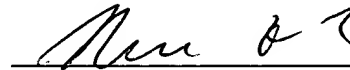
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- ☒ A Marked-up Version of Amended Claims and Specification Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.121(b)-(c) is attached.
- ☒ Please return the enclosed postcard to confirm that the items listed above have been received.

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